

## Message Text

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TAGS: CASC (FIGUEREDO, PATRICIA AKA PATRICIA MOURTGIS)  
SUBJ: REPATRIATION OF PATRICIA MOURTGIS AND FAMILY

REF: STATE 177708 AND PREVIOUS

1. PATRICIA MOURTGIS AKA PATRICIA FIGUEREDO COMPLETED RE-PATRIATION LOAN APPLICATION JULY 20 FOR HERSELF AND FOR HER CHILDREN, SILVIA JANETT, LILIAN GRACIELA AND LUIS MARCELO. ON JULY 20 EMBASSY ISSUED FAMILY NO-FEE PASSPORT BASED ON DOCUMENTARY PROOF OF LUIS FIGUEREDO'S PREVIOUS MARRIAGE (AS SUGGESTED IN REFTEL) FOR DIRECT TRAVEL TO U.S.

2. URUGUAYAN DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION REPLACED THEIR LOST TOURIST CARDS ON JULY 20 AND HAS GIVEN THEM UNTIL AUGUST 8 TO DEPART URUGUAY. U.S. CERTIFICATION OF BIRTH AND JUDGE MERCHANT'S LETTER PERSUADED IMMIGRATION THAT LUIS FIGUEREDO'S PERMISSION WAS NOT NECESSARY FOR CHILDREN TO LEAVE URUGUAY. UNDER URUGUAYAN LAW, AS UNDER NEW HAMPSHIRE LAW, MARRIAGE IS NOT CONSIDERED VALID SINCE FIGUEREDO HAD NOT DISSOLVED HIS URUGUAYAN MARRIAGE AT TIME HE MARRIED PATRICIA MOURTGIS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE. FIGUEREDO OBTAINED DIVORCE FROM HIS FIRST WIFE ON JUNE 26, 1978, IN ORDER TO AVOID BEING PROSECUTED FOR BIGAMY.

3. TOTAL COST OF REPATRIATING FAMILY TO MIAMI, NEAREST U.S. PORT OF ENTRY, IS 1,244.60 DOLLARS, 497.84 DOLLARS FOR PATRICIA AND 248.92 DOLLARS FOR EACH CHILD. RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN RE-UNCLASSIFIED

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QUESTED FOR PAN AM FLIGHT 202, LEAVING MONTEVIDEO JULY 26 AT 16:30, AND PAN AM FLIGHT 440 FROM RIO DE JANEIRO, ARRIVING MIAMI AT 06:45 THURSDAY, JULY 27. EMBASSY WILL ADVISE WHEN RESERVATIONS ARE CONFIRMED.

4. ACTION REQUESTED:

DEPARTMENT'S IMMEDIATE AUTHORIZATION IS REQUESTED TO PURCHASE  
ONE WAY TICKETS FROM PAN AM FOR TRAVEL FROM MONTEVIDEO TO MIAMI.  
SINCE HEW ASSISTANCE WILL BE NECESSARY TO HELP FAMILY TRAVEL  
TO MANCHESTER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, PLEASE NOTIFY HEW.

5. UPON ARRIVAL IN U.S., MOURTGIS FAMILY WILL HAVE TWENTY U.S.  
DOLLARS FROM AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB AND WHATEVER REMAINS OF 100  
DOLLARS RECEIVED FROM FATHER ON JULY 12.

6. DEPARTMENT IS ALSO REQUESTED TO INFORM SENATOR DURKIN AND MR.  
ARTHUR MOURTGIS, 341 CENTRAL STREET, MANCHESTER, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
03103, TELEPHONE 603-622-3101.  
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